Amendments to Specification

At the paragraph defining R^3 bridging pages 2 and 3:

R^3 is H; G; C_1-C_6 alkyl, C_2-C_6 alkenyl, C_2-C_6 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, each optionally substituted with one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen, G, CN, NO_2, hydroxy, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylcarbonyl, C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl, ~~or~~ and a phenyl, phenoxy or 5- or 6-membered heteroaromatic ring, each ring optionally substituted with one to three substituents independently selected from the group consisting of C_1-C_4 alkyl, C_2-C_4 alkenyl, C_2-C_4 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkenyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkynyl, C_3-C_6 halocycloalkyl, halogen, CN, NO_2, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 alkylamino, C_2-C_8 dialkylamino, C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino, C_3-C_6 (alkyl)cycloalkylamino, C_2-C_4 alkylcarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3-C_8 dialkylaminocarbonyl ~~or~~ and C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl; C_1-C_4 alkoxy; C_1-C_4 alkylamino; C_2-C_8 dialkylamino; C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino; C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl or C_2-C_6 alkylcarbonyl;

At page 3 the paragraph defining R^5 at lines 28-35:

each R^5 is independently C_1-C_6 alkyl, C_2-C_6 alkenyl, C_2-C_6 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, C_1-C_6 haloalkyl, C_2-C_6 haloalkenyl, C_2-C_6 haloalkynyl, C_3-C_6 halocycloalkyl, halogen, CN, CO_2H, $CONH_2$, NO_2, hydroxy, C_1-C_6 alkoxy, C_1-C_6 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_6 alkylthio, C_1-C_6 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_6 alkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_6 haloalkylthio, C_1-C_6 haloalkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_6 haloalkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_6 alkylamino, C_2-C_{12} dialkylamino, ~~or~~ C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino, C_2-C_6 alkylcarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3-C_8 dialkylaminocarbonyl, or C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl; or

At page 4, the paragraph defining R^6 at lines 3-12:

each R^6 is independently a phenyl, benzyl, phenoxy, 5- or 6-membered heteroaromatic ring or an aromatic 8-, 9- or 10-membered fused heterobicyclic ring system, each ring optionally substituted with one to three substituents independently selected from the group consisting of C_1-C_4 alkyl, C_2-C_4 alkenyl, C_2-C_4 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkenyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkynyl, C_3-C_6 halocycloalkyl, halogen, CN, NO_2, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 alkylamino, C_2-C_8 dialkylamino, C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino, C_3-C_6 (alkyl)cycloalkylamino, C_2-C_4

alkylcarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3-C_8 dialkylaminocarbonyl ~~or~~ and C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl;

At page 4, the paragraph defining R^7 at lines 13-20:

each R^7 is independently H, C_1-C_6 alkyl, C_2-C_6 alkenyl, C_2-C_6 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, C_1-C_6 haloalkyl, C_2-C_6 haloalkenyl, C_2-C_6 haloalkynyl, C_3-C_6 halocycloalkyl, halogen, CN, CO_2H, $CONH_2$, NO_2, hydroxy, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkylthio, C_1-C_4 haloalkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 alkylamino, C_2-C_8 dialkylamino, C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino, C_2-C_6 alkylcarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3-C_8 dialkylaminocarbonyl, or C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl; or

At page 4, the paragraph further defining R^7 at lines 21-30:

each R^7 is independently a phenyl, benzyl, benzoyl, phenoxy, 5- or 6-membered heteroaromatic ring or an aromatic 8-, 9- or 10-membered fused heterobicyclic ring system, each ring optionally substituted with one to three substituents independently selected from the group consisting of C_1-C_4 alkyl, C_2-C_4 alkenyl, C_2-C_4 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkenyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkynyl, C_3-C_6 halocycloalkyl, halogen, CN, NO_2, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 alkylamino, C_2-C_8 dialkylamino, C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino, C_3-C_6 (alkyl)cycloalkylamino, C_2-C_4 alkylcarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3-C_8 dialkylaminocarbonyl ~~or~~ and C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl;

At page 5, the paragraph defining R^3, at lines 20-30 to page 6, line 3:

R^3 is H; C_1-C_6 alkyl, C_2-C_6 alkenyl, C_2-C_6 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, each optionally substituted with one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen, CN, NO_2, hydroxy, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylcarbonyl, C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl, ~~or~~ and a phenoxy ring optionally substituted with one to three substituents independently selected from the group consisting of C_1-C_4 alkyl, C_2-C_4 alkenyl, C_2-C_4 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkenyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkynyl, C_3-C_6 halocycloalkyl, halogen, CN, NO_2, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 alkylamino, C_2-C_8 dialkylamino, C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino, C_3-C_6 (alkyl)cycloalkylamino, C_2-C_4 alkylcarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3-C_8 dialkylaminocarbonyl ~~or~~ and C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl;

C_1-C_4 alkoxy; C_1-C_4 alkylamino; C_2-C_8 dialkylamino; C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino; C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl or C_2-C_6 alkylcarbonyl; or

At the paragraph defining R^3 bridging pages 5 and 6:

R^3 is H; C_1-C_6 alkyl, C_2-C_6 alkenyl, C_2-C_6 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, each optionally substituted with one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen, CN, NO_2, hydroxy, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylcarbonyl, C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl, ~~or~~ and a phenoxy ring optionally substituted with one to three substituents independently selected from the group consisting of C_1-C_4 alkyl, C_2-C_4 alkenyl, C_2-C_4 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkenyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkynyl, C_3-C_6 halocycloalkyl, halogen, CN, NO_2, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 alkylamino, C_2-C_8 dialkylamino, C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino, C_3-C_6 (alkyl)cycloalkylamino, C_2-C_4 alkylcarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3-C_8 dialkylaminocarbonyl ~~or~~ and C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl; C_1-C_4 alkoxy; C_1-C_4 alkylamino; C_2-C_8 dialkylamino; C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino; C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl or C_2-C_6 alkylcarbonyl;

At page 6, the paragraph defining R^6, lines 33-38 to page 7, line 4:

each R^6 is independently a phenyl, benzyl, phenoxy, 5- or 6-membered heteroaromatic ring or an aromatic 8-, 9- or 10-membered fused heterobicyclic ring system, each ring optionally substituted with one to three substituents independently selected from the group consisting of C_1-C_4 alkyl, C_2-C_4 alkenyl, C_2-C_4 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkenyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkynyl, C_3-C_6 halocycloalkyl, halogen, CN, NO_2, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 alkylamino, C_2-C_8 dialkylamino, C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino, C_3-C_6 (alkyl)cycloalkylamino, C_2-C_4 alkylcarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3-C_8 dialkylaminocarbonyl ~~or~~ and C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl;

At page 7, lines 5-12 defining R^7:

each R^7 is independently H, C_1-C_6 alkyl, C_2-C_6 alkenyl, C_2-C_6 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, C_1-C_6 haloalkyl, C_2-C_6 haloalkenyl, C_2-C_6 haloalkynyl, C_3-C_6 halocycloalkyl, halogen, CN, CO_2H, $CONH_2$, NO_2, hydroxy, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl; C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkylthio, C_1-C_4 haloalkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 alkylamino, C_2-C_8 dialkylamino, C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino, C_2-C_6 alkylcarbonyl,

C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3-C_8 dialkylaminocarbonyl, or C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl; or

At page 7, lines 13-22 further defining R^7:

each R^7 is independently a phenyl, benzyl, benzoyl, phenoxy or 5- or 6-membered heteroaromatic ring or an 8-, 9- or 10-membered fused heterobicyclic ring system, each ring optionally substituted with one to three substituents independently selected from the group consisting of C_1-C_4 alkyl, C_2-C_4 alkenyl, C_2-C_4 alkynyl, C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkenyl, C_2-C_4 haloalkynyl, C_3-C_6 halocycloalkyl, halogen, CN, NO_2, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, C_1-C_4 alkylamino, C_2-C_8 dialkylamino, C_3-C_6 cycloalkylamino, C_3-C_6 (alkyl)cycloalkylamino, C_2-C_4 alkylcarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkoxycarbonyl, C_2-C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3-C_8 dialkylaminocarbonyl ~~or~~ and C_3-C_6 trialkylsilyl;

At page 17, Preferred 3, lines 21-31:

Preferred 3. Methods of Preferred 2 wherein

R^1 and R^2 are both H;

R^3 is C_1-C_4 alkyl optionally substituted with halogen, CN, OCH_3, or $S(O)_pCH_3$;

each R^4 is independently H, CH_3, CF_3, OCF_3, $OCHF_2$, $S(O)_pCF_3$, $S(O)_pCHF_2$, CN or halogen;

each R^5 is independently CF_3, OCF_3, $OCHF_2$, $S(O)_pCF_3$, $S(O)_pCHF_2$, OCH_2CF_3, OCF_2CHF_2, $S(O)_pCH_2CF_3$ or $S(O)_pCF_2CHF_2$;

each R^6 is independently H, halogen or methyl; or phenyl, pyrazole, imidazole, triazole, pyridine or pyrimidine, each ring optionally substituted with C_1-C_4 alkyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkyl, halogen or CN; and

p is 0, 1 or 2.

Page 19, Preferred 9, lines 8-21:

Preferred 9. Methods of Preferred 8 wherein

J is selected from the group consisting of pyridine, and pyrimidine, pyrazole, thiophene and thiazole, each optionally substituted with 1 to 3 R^7;

R^1 and R^2 are both H;

R^3 is C_1-C_4 alkyl optionally substituted with halogen, CN, OCH_3, or $S(O)_pCH_3$;

each R^4 is independently H, CH_3, CF_3, OCF_3, $OCHF_2$, $S(O)_pCF_3$, $S(O)_pCHF_2$, CN or halogen;

each R^7 is independently H, halogen, CH_3, CF_3, $OCHF_2$, $S(O)_pCF_3$, $S(O)_pCHF_2$, OCH_2CF_3, OCF_2CHF_2, $S(O)_pCH_2CF_3$, $S(O)_pCF_2CHF_2$; or phenyl, pyrazole, imidazole, triazole, pyridine or pyrimidine, each ring optionally substituted with C_1-C_4 alkyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkyl, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, halogen or CN; and

p is 0, 1 or 2.

At page 23, Preferred I, lines 13-26:

Preferred I. Compounds of Preferred H wherein

J is selected from the group consisting of pyridine, pyrimidine, pyrazole, thiophene and thiazole, each optionally substituted with 1 to 3 R^7;

R^1 and R^2 are both H;

R^3 is C_1-C_4 alkyl optionally substituted with halogen, CN, OCH_3, or $S(O)_pCH_3$;

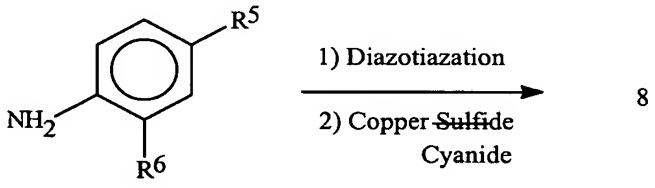
each R^4 is independently H, CH_3, CF_3, OCF_3, $OCHF_2$, $S(O)_pCF_3$, $S(O)_pCHF_2$, CN or halogen;

each R^7 is independently H, halogen, CH_3, CF_3, $OCHF_2$, $S(O)_pCF_3$, $S(O)_pCHF_2$, OCH_2CF_3, OCF_2CHF_2, $S(O)_pCH_2CF_3$, or $S(O)_pCF_2CHF_2$; or phenyl, pyrazole, imidazole, triazole, pyridine or pyrimidine, each ring optionally substituted with C_1-C_4 alkyl, C_1-C_4 haloalkyl, C_1-C_4 alkoxy, C_1-C_4 haloalkoxy, C_1-C_4 alkylthio, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1-C_4 alkylsulfonyl, halogen or CN; and

p is 0, 1 or 2.

At page 35, Scheme 6:

Scheme 6



9 R^6 is Me

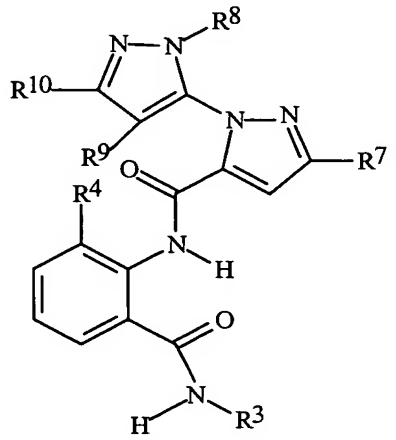
At page 36, paragraph beginning at line 5:

Compounds of Formula 10 may be prepared from iminosulfuranes of Formula 11. The transformation may be achieved in a protic solvent such as methanol or water, in a non-protic solvent such as dichloromethane or toluene in the presence of a suitable base such as triethylamine (e.g. Org. Synth. Coll. Vol. VI, 581) or sodium methoxide, or in a combination of a protic solvent, a non-protic solvent and a base. The temperature at which

the reaction is conducted is usually in the range 40-110°C. As one skilled in the art will realize, suitable salts of compounds of Formula 11 such as, but not limited to a hydrochloride, a sulfate or a bisulfate may also be employed, provided that the appropriate amount of base is first used to generate the free base 11. This may be done as a separate step or as an integral part of the step involving the transformation of compounds of Formula 11 to compounds of Formula 10.

At page 87, Table 10:

Table 10



~~R^3~~ R^4	~~R^4~~ R^7	~~R^7~~ R^3	R^8	R^9	R^{10}
Me	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	H	H
Me	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	H	Me
Me	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	Cl	H
Me	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	Cl	Me
Me	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	Me	Me
Cl	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	H	H
Cl	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	H	Me
Cl	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	Cl	H
Cl	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	Cl	Me
Cl	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	Me	Me
Me	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	H	H
Me	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	H	Me
Me	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	Cl	H
Me	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	Cl	Me
Me	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	Me	Me
Cl	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	H	H
Cl	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	H	Me
Cl	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	Cl	H
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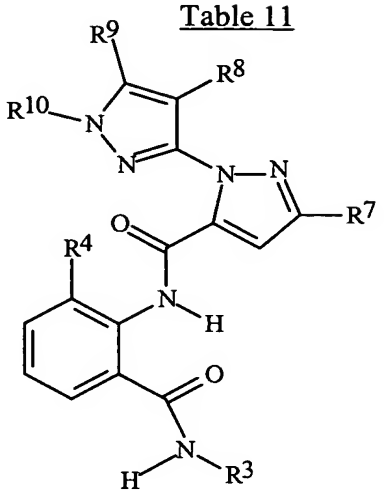
Cl	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	Me	Me

At page 88, Table 11:

Table 11



~~R~~^{3} R^4	~~R~~^{4} R^7	~~R~~^{7} R^3	R^8	R^9	R^{10}
Me	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	H	Me
Me	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	Me	Me
Me	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Cl	H	Me
Me	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Cl	Me	Me
Cl	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	H	Me
Cl	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Me	Me	Me
Cl	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Cl	H	Me
Cl	CF_3	*i*-Pr	Cl	Me	Me
Me	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	H	Me
Me	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	Me	Me
Me	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Cl	H	Me
Me	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Cl	Me	Me
Cl	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	H	Me
Cl	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Me	Me	Me
Cl	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Cl	H	Me
Cl	CF_3	*t*-Bu	Cl	Me	Me

At page 183, compound D62:

D62	i-Pr	H	~~5-Me~~ 2-Me	CF_3	2-(3-Cl-pyridinyl)	179-181